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KENTUCKY HONORS FEDERAL EXTENSION TO FILE FOR VICTIMS OF RECENT STORMS AND FLOODS

FRANKFORT, KY (April 12, 2002) -- The Kentucky income tax return filing date has been extended until **May 4, 2002**, for victims of recent storms and floods. The IRS has granted special tax filing and payment relief to taxpayers in 24 Kentucky counties recently declared eligible for federal disaster assistance following severe storms and flooding from March 17 through 21, 2002.

The Kentucky Revenue Cabinet (KRC) honors a federal extension of time to file. Taxpayers are advised to label the top margin of the tax forms filed under this relief provision in large, red letters with the words "**Kentucky Severe Storm and Flood Disaster.**"

This special relief applies to affected taxpayers in the following counties: Bath, Bell, Bourbon, Boyd, Carter, Clay, Elliott, Fleming, Greenup, Harlan, Knox, Laurel, Lawrence, Letcher, Leslie, Lewis, McCreary, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Nicholas, Perry, Rowan, and Whitley.

Taxpayers needing additional tax information or assistance may contact KRC during the hours 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday; on Monday April 15, 2002, until 6:00 p.m.; or may visit KRC's web site at www.revenue.state.ky.us on the Internet anytime.